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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Dr. C. F. P. Bancroft has reached Italy in safety.

Mrs. Helen Chamberlain Dick sang at Christ church, Sunday.

George Prescott is spending his vacation at Exeter, N. H.

The Shawshins will play the Riverside Jr., eleven to-morrow.

Harry Campion has gone to Maine on a hunting trip.

George George H. Poor has returned from a trip to California.

There will be football practice on the cricket grounds to-morrow.

Prof. John Phelps Taylor's pastorate at the Chapel church will begin October 30.

A Lawrence steam road roller has been doing effective work on Andover-Streets, this week.

The Shawshins of this town were defeated Saturday by the Johnson High School team, 16 to 0.

Rev. William J. Long again supplied the pulpit at the West Congregational church, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ramsdell have moved from Bartlett Street into Moores White's house on Essex Street.

Clarence Goldsmith entered upon his duties as superintendent of the North Andover water works, Monday morning.

Peter D. Smith and John N. Cole were present at the dinner of the Massachusetts Republican Club in Boston, Wednesday evening.

Metzger, P. A. '99, threw the hammer 119 feet, 1 inch, in the fall games Thursday, breaking his own record of 113 feet, 9 inches.

The regular monthly meeting of the Cricket Club will be held in the Village Hall, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Active interest in the new Andover Golf Club has been shown in town. The membership is already large and is increasing. There are several skillful players in town.

Dr. C. E. Abbott attended the quarterly meeting and banquet of the Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health, held at the Franklin House, Lawrence, Thursday.

Mrs. Egbert C. Smyth was elected a member of the board of directors of the Woman's Home Missionary Association, at a meeting held Wednesday, in Berkeley Temple, Boston.

Property located on the new street on the Lowe estate, near the Tyler Rubber factory, will be auctioned off at a mortgagor's sale, one week from to-morrow, by Barnett Rogers.

Rev. Egbert C. Smyth, D.D., has been elected a member of the council of the American Antiquarian Society. The annual meeting of the Society was held at Worcester, Friday.

About fifty members of Lincoln Lodge, A. O. U. W., including sixteen members of the degree staff, participated in the parade held in Boston last night. The Andover delegation wore sailors' uniforms.

Miss Maude Randall is critically ill with diphtheria at Middleton, where she has been teaching in the public schools this year. Her mother, Mrs. Ira C. Randall, was sent for Wednesday morning. Miss Randall spent Sunday at her home in town and seemed as well as ever.

Engineer Winslow of the sewer department has received orders to suspend work on Maple Avenue as soon as the first manhole is completed and then dig the trench on High Street. Considerable water has been encountered on Maple Avenue, making progress slow.

At the annual meeting of the Andover Auxiliary to the Woman's Board the following officers were elected: Mrs. H. S. Robinson, president; Mrs. H. W. Boynton and Mrs. John Alden, vice presidents; Mrs. F. W. Whittemore, secretary; Mrs. G. T. Eaton, treasurer. The collectors appointed were Mrs. Jonas Spaulding for the South Church, Mrs. Eaton for the Chapel and Mrs. David Middleton for the Free Church.

Whitney, owned by Richardson of this town has been doing good work on the race track this fall. In the 2.19 trot at Saugus, Friday, Whitney took first money. The race was a guessing match for a time, Ladd, Philip E., Tom Thumb, and Whitney getting heats before there was any show of a winner, but once Whitney got in front he was able to stay there, and he landed as hard a six-beat race as he will ever have probably.

The following names have been registered and added to the Voting List: Precinct 1, John C. Angus, Arthur H. L. Bemis, Zachariah Brown, Charles H. Buchanan, John F. Coyne, William H. Clark, Walter C. Donald, Walter B. Holt, Andrew Murphy, James E. Morrison, George M. May, Eben N. Pitman, Edward N. Sampson, Michael A. Toomey, Richard P. Whitten. Precinct 2, W. Wallace Craig, Cecil A. S. Clemons, Patrick W. Galvin, Almon S. Moody, Jr., Patrick S. Motioren, George Shaw, John Welsh.

Herbert D. Ward, the writer, and Mrs. Ward (Elizabeth Stuart Phelps) celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary Oct. 20, at Newton. The observance took the form of a reception at their home on Dudley Street, Oak Hill, and was attended by a few relatives and intimate friends. The affair was entirely informal and was not the less enjoyable for that reason. Mr. and Mrs. Ward were the recipients of many handsome gifts suited to the occasion.

The Walworth block on Maple Avenue is being repainted.

Miss Josephine Beard is teaching in the public schools of Methuen.

Work on the High Street section of the sewer was begun Wednesday morning.

There will be a meeting of the King's Daughters in the South Church vestry, Thursday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.

J. Warren Berry of William F. Bartlett Post 190, G. A. R. has been appointed inspector of Col. W. B. Greene post of Methuen.

Rev. F. R. Shipman spoke at the Lawrence Christian Endeavor union meeting at Rev. W. E. Welcott's church in Lawrence, Sunday.

Miss Mary Alice Abbott and Miss Josephine Beard took part in the production of "The Queen of Fame" at Methuen last night.

Sister Monica of the Notre Dame order, Oldtown, Me., who was called home by the death of her father, Dan Sullivan, has returned to Oldtown.

The game between Phillips Andover and Worcester Academy to be played at Andover, Saturday is sure to be an interesting contest. There is great rivalry between the teams.

This is raspberry week again, as evidenced by a beautiful bunch of the wild berries picked on the roadside by Mrs. J. J. Smith of Central Street, while out driving.

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Chapel Church will hold its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Professor Churchill next Thursday afternoon, Nov. 5, at four o'clock.

North Andover Grangers have accepted an invitation to attend the next meeting of Andover Grange, Tuesday evening, Nov. 1. They will contribute to the entertainment.

The work of re-arranging the electric lights in town has begun. So far there are 21 new lights. The lighting committee hoped to secure lights on Abbot and Cuba Streets and Washington Avenue, but were unable to arrange it.

Miss C. E. Reed's dancing class will open on Saturday, November 5, in the November Club House. Notice concerning terms and hours will be found in the advertising column. Any children may be entered by applying to Miss Reed, 23 School Street.

Private Griffin of Co. L 6th Mass. Regiment, U. S. V. which arrived in Boston yesterday, from Porto Rico, came to Andover in the afternoon and spent last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Murphy.

The police of Andover presented a new police club to night Officer Warren Moor, Saturday night. Mr. Moor was completely taken by surprise. The club was presented as a souvenir of the kindness of his friends on the force. Mr. Moor considers the weapon too large for effective use.

J. C. Woodhull, the New York selling agent for the Washington Mills Co., paid his first visit to the mills Monday morning. The flag was flown in his honor and Mr. Chapin and his superintendents gave him an informal reception in Treasurer Wood's private office. Mr. Woodhull is the guest of Mr. Wood during his brief stay here.

Dr. William Tucker, president of Dartmouth college, formerly of the Andover Theological seminary denounced hazing among the student body in the following terms: "Hazing violates every kind of democracy and every kind of freedom. It gathers up around a college that which may disgrace it. In short it is incompatible with modern education."

A successful musical entertainment was given Friday evening at Phillips Academy hall for the benefit of the Phillips Academy Athletic Association. The Academy band and glee clubs, were assisted by Alfred A. Farland, the banjo artist. The program was as follows: "Belle of the Cake Walk", Banjo Club; selections on the banjo, Mr. Farland; "The First Song", Glee club; selections, Mr. Farland; C. G. V. March, mandolin club.

Regarding numbers, the North Andover Choral society originated by Richard A. Redman and Henry Knowles is rapidly outgrowing its infancy and coming to be a child of quite a healthy growth. It has already attracted desirable talent from Andover and most of the local musicians have already sought or are seeking admission to the society which under the direction of Mr. Redman is likely to become a circle of musical merit if those interested seek musical culture for art's sake. The present membership is now over 40 and promises to increase rapidly.

A branch of the American Benefit Society has been formed in town. Quite a good deal of interest has been manifested. The following officers have been chosen: Pres. Albert W. Caldwell; Pres. Frank P. Higgins; V. Pres. Edward C. Conroy; Chaplain, Mrs. Sarah Kelley; Treas. and collector, John E. Pitman; Sec. Geo. A. Mayer; Marshall, D. Michlin; Warden, Thomas P. Flynn; Sentry, Michael O'Connor. Mr. Miller, one of the deputies from Lawrence, and his wife, were present and assisted in forming the order.

Several members of Andover Grange attended the meeting of the Essex Agricultural society at North Andover, Tuesday evening. Thomas E. Rhodes, Henry Hayward and Frank Hardy contributed to the entertainment program. Among the Andover grangers present were: Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bailey, Alma Bailey, Charles Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. James Gillen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Moor, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flint, Miss Charlotte Flint, F. H. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Averill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hill, Bertha Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burr, Mrs. F. N. Hardy, Edward White, Mrs. Playdon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster.

Are You Registered?

The last day for registration is to-morrow, Saturday, and the registrars will be in session from 12 M. to 10 P. M. This is the only thing needful for a man to be allowed to vote November 8, and every American citizen should appreciate the duty and privilege.

Moses V. Gleason is critically ill at his home on Maple Avenue.

The Andover Band Orchestra will furnish music at the Grange Fair, held in the Town Hall, Nov. 11 and 12.

George E. Danforth of the circulating department of the Boston Transcript has been visiting in town this week.

A delegation from the Burns Club will attend the Halloween party of the North Andover Club this evening.

James H. Parr successfully passed the examination for second class engineer's license in Boston this morning.

The Ladies Benevolent Society of the Free Church will observe its fiftieth anniversary next Thursday evening.

Albert C. Bowman of Bridgewater, Ct., spent a few days with his uncle, O. P. Chase, this week. Mr. Bowman was on his way home from a business trip in Maine.

H. F. Chase's ad. to-day is a starter. No one need be without a Columbia bicycle, the standard of the world, now. The prices for 1899 are within the reach of everyone.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock, and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1897	MON.	WED.	1898	MON.	WED.
Oct. 21	48	54	Oct. 21	48	59
" 22	38	53	" 22	59	72
" 23	30	54	" 23	40	58
" 24	28	56	" 24	39	60
" 25	44	62	" 25	44	64
" 26	30	60	" 26	56	64
" 27	37	60	" 27	56	52

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters, Oct. 24, 1898

Adams, Wm.	Brooks, Mrs. L. E.
Brown, Miss Annie	Cunningham, Miss Belle
Childs, W. H.	Fag, Hon. A. F.
Hazard, W. F.	Hemming, Daniel P.
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P. A. Football Prospects.

The Phillips Academy foot ball team, under competent coaching is fast rounding into championship form. The team has been playing a less aggressive game than its rival Exeter and there have been ominous forebodings in Andover of disaster on November 12.

For a time it looked as if Exeter would win hands down. If she does it will be a big surprise now, for the New Hampshire team has been playing its best game for some time while Andover improving every day will without doubt be in excellent condition when the rivals meet.

Hersey of Exeter has made a great reputation as a kicker of goals from the field, but those who know say that Cullinan can easily outpunt him.

Coach McCormick of Exeter has been teaching the New Hampshire boys the Yale game of quick, snappy play, the quarter back instructions to give the signal just.

Andover's O. J. P. is a strong point so far this season, but she is developing a good offensive game and will make a creditable showing in the Exeter game.

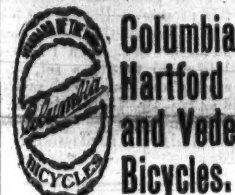
Laurie Bliss and F. T. Murphy, old Yale players, coached respectively the backs and line men on the team this week. Laurie Bliss captained the Andover eleven in '98, and Murphy played on the '99, '01 and '02 Andover elevens.

Jesse Barker the star fullback, who captained the '98 Andover team which beat Exeter 28 to 0, was on the side lines, and will assist in the coaching. Weeks, who has taken Davis' place at left tackle, is putting up a good game, and probably will be a fixture in that position. Weeks comes from Hartford, Conn., where he played on the Hartford high school team.

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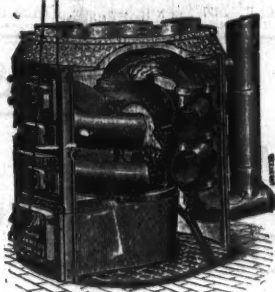
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HISTORICAL ANDOVER.

NO. 85.

BAILEY DISTRICT.

Way up in the West Parish, beyond the Haggett's Pond station, past old Wood Hill on the right, a road runs out to the group of farms that cluster around the Bailey schoolhouse, cutting Bailey District through the center.

A loop to the right, south of Wood Hill, circles around the slopes of the upland south and east, turning to meet a second loop that starts off half way along to the schoolhouse. About where the Boutwell estates lie, the two roads come together and swing along the foot of the northern slope westward and up past the village to meet the old river road to Lowell on the Tewksbury line. Dracut lies just across the Merrimac to the north, while that ancient section of Billerica, now called Tewksbury, lies along the western line.

The ancient highway from the North Parish, leaving Marston's Ferry at Sutton's Mills, crosses South Lawrence (Merrimac Woods) at Andover street, passing along as the Lowell Road into North District, bending with the river across the brook by the North schoolhouse, till we reach the estate marked on the 1852 map as Timothy Bailey. (There were four Tims, says our old friend, S. G. Bailey: River Tim, Black Tim, Tim Cue, from his hair, and Tim Butters). Rufus Bailey is marked here on the 1852 map. After the road turns to the south-west you go down a lane to the river where one of the other Tims lived, marked now Warren A. Bailey, with a "Laurel Grove" attached. These two estates are held by descendants of William Bailey, but the Laurel Grove is perhaps the oldest farm. Near the western border of Abbott district with the inevitable brook accompaniment, lay the Nathan Bailey place, late residence of Moses Bailey Abbott, his grandson. This was the homestead of Caleb Johnson in 1729, when he sold out to a syndicate of what seems to be lumbermen. Probably the water power and fine pine and oak growth led both Bailey lines to invest early in Merrimac lands. Back up the cross road, near the Abbott schoolhouse, lay two more T. Bailey farms, now marked Moses A. and Timothy P. These are of the Bradford line of Nathan at the farm of Moses B. Abbott down by the river.

Passing over Fish Brook, about opposite the old Harris Ferry to Dracut, we get, near the cross road corner, with more tumbling brooks, the farm of Samuel G. Bailey, with that of his son, Samuel Henry, added in 1832. These are of the Joseph line from Rowley; and the estate has only recently passed from the line. Across the road, down a lane at the brookside, nearer the Ferry, was the home of John Moar Bailey, whose aged and childless widow lately passed away in Lawrence. Then the road crosses the line into the Bailey District proper, past the old Hardy allied homes, to the Joseph Bailey on the river bank, where the Rowley and Bradford lines, unite with Lucy (a sister of John Moar Bailey) in a family of ten children, the youngest daughter, the wife of Charles A. Newton on the 1852 map at the homestead.

Good thing, was R. Bailey of 1850, who was Erick, and now marked P. B. Mahoney.

A Mr. White is said to have a summer residence there now. This is of the Rowley line inheritance and beyond comes a lonely stretch for bicyclers, bringing us to the Tewksbury line where we catch J. Bailey, probably James, at the place later marked C. H. Grant. Turning back from the Tewksbury line south over the upland to the schoolhouse, a cross road passes D. Smith, now marked John B. Bailey, with another estate near the center, once his father Samuel's. Here came Samuel and his brothers Joseph and Edward early in 1730, the first to enter on records as parents, as Nathan did not become a resident till near 1740.

James of Rowley, wife Lydia, John, wife Mary Mighill (kin to the old lady who left us that wonderful Peter's Indian tale), James and wife Hanna Wood, preceded these Rowley emi-

grants. Edward with wife Elizabeth only enters our records with the birth of a daughter in 1736, and most likely he settled in Tewksbury with his brother Joseph, maybe over in Dracut. When the Bailey Association began to publish the material slowly accumulating, we shall get all these puzzling ancestors sorted properly. The wife of Samuel Bailey was Mary Rolfe of Haverhill, married in 1728. They brought Samuel, Mary, with them and Levi was born here in 1739. Mary Rolfe died first, and Samuel, when near 70, asked Dorcas Abbott, a maiden of 40, daughter of Timothy Abbott and Mary Foster, to help him care for his orphaned grandchildren and well she worked. I will keep her story till the beginnings are all taken up.

Back at Salisbury in the wild days when folks went hungry, unless Richard Goodale, the mighty hunter, supplied them with game, John Bailey lived, as you might say in modern slang, a "grass widower," with his friend Thomas Rowell. One wife was too sick, one too timid to take the voyage. The court prodded John and he did his best, but the children who came managed without a mother somehow. One William Schooler came with him and a kinswoman, Mary Schooler from Portsmouth, visited John, perhaps to spin and do up other annual chores, and John, promising her safe escort back when she left home, sent her on her last lonesome journey with William. The Indians brought word after long months of her body found in the thicket, 3 miles from Portsmouth, and the chain of evidence hanged William later in Boston. I cannot blame Madam Bailey nor her daughters for hesitating. Finally John died, leaving the English part of the family heavy bribes in the way of legacies, if they came over to take them. In Miss Bailey's interesting account of our early schools, we catch the name of James Bailey in 1719 here with his wife Sara and a son James baptized in the North Church in 1722, when they are dismissed to Weymouth. This line was John of Salisbury, John and wife Elinor Emery, James and Mary (Carr), James of Harvard, like his father, born in Roxbury, and one of our first Andover teachers.

James had a brother Isaac, who married Sara Emery. Son David's widow Experience, with sons David and Jonathan moved to Tewksbury, and David, Junior, is the husband of Samuel Bailey's granddaughter Dorothy (grandson-in-law he calls him), and has the charge of his wife's orphaned brothers and sister, with the old grandfather after 1776. So you see all the Baileys gathered into our Bailey district before the time of the Revolution and along the river bank were of three lines of emigration.

Another grandson of James of Rowley, Nathaniel, sent a son Josiah here for a wife Elizabeth Stevens in 1728 and they depart for Turkey Hill (Lunenburg).

About 1766, a new law seems to have been passed to thwart the schemes of the improvident, in gaining a residence where the town paupers were well cared for. All over the county, high and low got the notice. Sea captains with large families and no landed estate, school teachers with negro servants and only brains to tax, got beth seem to have strayed from Tewksbury, with Elizabeth, Molly, and Ebenezer. The warning appears to have had no terrors for them, for I find a Sara annexed to the ineligible list in 1770, after which Ebenezer departs.

Richard Rowley, whose descendants in that invaluable work of A. Poor's "Merrimac Valley Researches," are correctly set forth, spread out over Bradford. The first cloth mill is given to him. His wife married Ezekiel Northend after his death. From his only child Joseph and wife Abigail, Richard of Bradford the elder and wife Joanna Webster, came Nathan b. 1708, married Mary Palmer of Bradford in 1732, and lived there till the children were well along, when he moved to the West Parish, 3 miles above Lawrence on the Bailey district border where Moses B. Abbott lately resided.

Nathan died in Andover in 1775, his wife Mary in 1800. He had a sister, a school teacher of Bradford, who got ready to marry a minister, who changed his mind at the last minute, and she lived with kind friends long after her kin had passed away, dying at 87 in 1814. Mr. Poor says the chamber where her house goods were arranged was kept in order long after her death.

Nathan's children went away from Andover, Sara to Dracut with Reuben Sawyer, Col. Joshua to Hopkinton, N. H., Capt. Nathan with our Debora Johnson returned to West Haverhill where he kept an inn on the Scotland Road awhile. A grandson John Gilman Bailey, born in 1839, may be our John at Haggett's Pond to-day. Polly went to Dracut with David Jones. Only Moses staid behind, marrying in 1766 Elizabeth, daughter of Timothy

Moor of Andover, and a granddaughter of Nathaniel Abbott and Dorcas Hibbert. The descendants of this union own about all these two allied lines of Abbott and Bailey contributed to Andover.

Joseph of Tewksbury, in spite of our inhospitality to Ebenezer, sent us another son, William born 1747, married in 1771 Rebecca Hildreth, across the Dracut Ferry, and settled down on the River Road where the S. G. Bailey estate stands. After the birth of the children, his first wife was succeeded by Hanna Danforth, the third, in 1813, when William was over 70, was Nancy White, widow of Samuel O. Frye, a Marblehead lady, whose Frye descendants are yet among us.

The births to Samuel Bailey and wife Hanna Kittredge, who married 20 years earlier than his cousin William, all came on the records before the sad event of his fall at Bunker Hill in 1776. The eldest daughter, Dorothy, shortly after called over David Bailey from Tewksbury, who for a time was resident with the feeble grandfather on the old border farm. Dorcas Abbott had been there about two years, and when poor Hanna Kittredge shortly followed her husband, Joshua, a lad of 9 years, was baptized by these grandparents in the South Church. James, Hanna later the wife of Stearns Needham, Mary who married Moses Stickney, Levi and Samuel were baptized in due order in our South Church, for Samuel Bailey's children did not seem to have the leaning towards immersion that the Haverhill line and some of the Rowley folks show to-day. Arethusa named in the administration as having legal representatives, was one of the children, but a puzzle to me at this date. Down the line her name and that of Apphia in the descent from Joseph's second wife, crop out in the Andover records, also Tristram Bartlett, another of James Bailey's grandchildren says with us in the naming.

In 1784, Samuel passes away after a tedious and painful illness, and Dorcas is left to the care of the four grandsons, who are to buy her a horse if there is none good enough all bridled and saddled, to give her a 12-acre wood lot, where and when she chooses, that can be given away to her own heirs, and she is to have all the "products of her industry since marriage," although when she dies the house goods of the first mother go to her own daughters. She lived on happily with David and Dorothy and the young brothers, and is gone from the church records before 1812. Samuel had a good many fine clothes, blue overcoats, brown jackets and black suits, which are divided to James Kittredge his son-in-law and the boys who grew up under the guardianship of Benjamin Moor and William Brown. James got the homestead with a double portion. Hanna's little pocketbook with the hoarded 29 £, her damask, chintz, russia, plaid, camblet and cotton gowns, her satin cloak and bonnet, her 13 caps and 5 pairs of slippers, the stone j-wels, are divided to the girls along with upland and woodland. Rebecca Gray gets good wages through it all, and I think she was a maid-in after Dorothy's own heart for she seems to live with both generations on the old farm. Joshua goes west with Hanna Boutwell, Levi goes on a crusade to Vermont, and James with Lucy Brown, Sam and Sara Trull are left to build Bailey district and help us in other ways.

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12.37 acc. ar. 1.34; 1.18 acc. ar. 2.12; 2.40 acc. ar.
3.44; 4.33 acc. ar. 5.30; 5.46 acc. ar. 6.42; 7.15 ex.
ar. 8.06; 9.45 acc. ar. 10.30. SUNDAY: 7.35 ar. 8.34;
8.33 ar. 9.27; 12.21 ar. 1.36; P.M. 4.56 ar. 5.18;
5.53 ar. 6.55; 6.57 ar. 7.56; 7.43 ar. 8.22; 7.55 ar. 8.56
All accommodations.

BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A.M. 5.59 acc. arrive
in Andover, 6.55; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.30; 9.35 acc. ar.
10.24; 10.25 acc. ar. 11.30; 11.50 ex. ar. 12.40; 12.25
ex. ar. 1.00; 2.15 ex. ar. 3.03; 3.30 ex. ar. 4.15;
4.29 acc. ar. 4.41; 5.01 ex. ar. 6.40; 5.32 acc. ar.
6.27; 6.01 ex. ar. 6.49; 6.36 acc. ar. 7.31; 7.02 acc.
ar. 7.53; 9.39 acc. ar. 10.22; 11.15 ex. ar. 11.58. SUNDAY:
A.M. 8.00 acc. ar. 9.02; 12.00 ar. 12.45. P.M.
2.15 acc. ar. 3.05; 5.00 acc. ar. 6.06; 6.00 ex. ar.
6.45; 7.12 acc. ar. 8.49.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A.M. 7.43 arrive in
Lowell 8.34; 8.33 ar. 9.09; 9.20 ar. 10.37;
10.33 ar. 11.05; 11.10 ar. 11.46. P.M. 12.37
ar. 1.06; 2.40 ar. 3.19; 4.33 ar. 5.10; 5.46 ar. 6.20;
7.15 ar. 7.48; 8.43 ar. 10.46. SUNDAY A.M. 8.33 ar.
9.17; P.M. 12.31 ar. 1.02; 4.26 ar. 4.57; 5.33 ar. 6.25;
7.55 ar. 8.22.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A.M. 6.50 ar. 8.30; 8.30
ar. 8.57; 9.25 ar. 10.24; 10.50 ar. 11.30. P.M. 12.05
ar. 12.40; 12.30 ar. 3.03; 3.10 ar. 4.15; 4.45 ar. 4.41;
5.10 ar. 5.40; 6.15 ar. 6.49; 7.00 ar. 7.31; 9.25 ar.
10.22; 10.25 ar. 11.01. SUNDAY: A.M. 8.15 ar.
9.02. P.M. 12.05 ar. 12.48; 6.30 ar. 6.06; 7.25 ar.
8.09.

Wednesdays and Saturdays.

ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A.M. 6.55, 8.20, 8.57,
10.24, 11.30. P.M. 12.40, 1.00, 3.03, 4.15, 4.41,
5.49, 6.27, 6.49, 7.21, 7.53, 10.22, 11.58. SUNDAY:
A.M. 9.02. P.M. 12.48, 3.05, 6.06, 6.45, 8.09.

LAWRENCE TO ANDOVER. A.M. 6.40, 7.25, 7.30,
7.57, 8.17, 9.00, 10.10, 10.56, 12.00. P.M. 12.35, 1.00,
2.30, 4.15, 5.35, 7.09, 8.25.

SUNDAY: 7.25, 8.15 P.M. 12.10 4.20, 5.35, 6.46,
7.37, 7.48.

*From South side.

ANDOVER TO SALEM, MASS. A.M. 6.55, ar. 8.47;
7.43 ar. 9.40; 12.40 ar. 1.07; 1.18 ar. 2.35; 5.40 ar.
5.51.

7.15 ar. 8.30, 11.30 ar. 12.37. P.M. 2.00 ar. 3.01;
4.15 ar. 5.40; 4.35 ar. 5.46; 6.00 ar. 7.15.

GOING EAST. A.M. 6.55 ar. 8.20, 8.57, 10.24 N.
11.30. P.M. 12.40 N. 1.00, 3.03 N. 4.15 N. 4.41 N.
5.40 N. 6.27, 6.49 N. 7.53 N.

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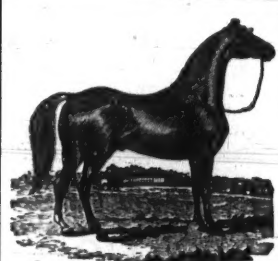
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INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS.

The Democratic campaign of 1892 was fought on the industrial issue—or better expressed, on the low tariff platform. The victory of Cleveland gave the country an opportunity to try the experiment of a low tariff. Every one knows the result. In 1893 there came the worst period of industrial depression for a decade at least, nor had the country recovered from the effects of that depression when President McKinley was elected to the Presidency. The Dingley law superseded the Wilson tariff and the country at once commenced to recover from the long spell of industrial depression which had hung like a pall over the industries. Anticipating the passage of a protective tariff the importers had flooded the country with manufactured goods and raw material. Consequently the advantages of the new tariff have been neutralized to a certain extent, and the general improvement has come slowly. It has nevertheless been very apparent all over the country especially in the iron and steel industries.

In the cotton and woolen industries of New England the conditions have not improved as quickly as was anticipated. They were found to be complicated with domestic competition and the cotton mills of the north have not as yet felt any great stimulus from the relief afforded by the Dingley tariff. Congressman Knox has stated that notwithstanding this he would not favor the abandonment of a single law in force in this state for time and experience has shown them to be beneficial to the workingman and woman.

A change from the present tariff policy of the country, would surely bring no relief from southern competition and the Democratic orators who denounce the Republicans for false promises utterly fail to prescribe any remedy. The Republican party has been true to its pledges and kept its promises to the people. It assured the people as long as it remained in power, of sound currency and a protective tariff—having done those things natural causes must do the rest. There is no political alchemy which will conquer natural conditions in the twinkling of an eye, but it is not too late to see the realization of the fondest hopes of the most sanguine Republican, if the ghost of free silver be laid to rest on the 8th of next November and the people will attend to that.

Barnett Rogers, Auctioneer
MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Abby Simpson of Andover, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, dated November twenty, 1897, and recorded with North District Essex Deeds, lib-109, folio 377, will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on Saturday, the fifth day of November, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Andover, on the Northern side of a new street laid out by Hardy and Cole in the low estate, and on that part of said new street which leads West from Main street, bounded southerly by said new street fifty (50) feet; Westerly by land of Hardy and Cole eighty (80) feet; Northerly by land of Morton fifty (50) feet; Easterly by other land of Hardy and Cole eighty (80) feet. The southeasterly corner of the granted premises is at a point on the Northern side of said new street, one hundred feet Westerly from Main Street. Being the same premises conveyed to said Abby Simpson by Lewis T. Hardy and Joseph F. Cole by deed dated November 13th, 1897, and duly recorded.

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By JOHN F. KIMBALL, Treasurer.

October 14, 1898.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Alexander Morrison, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by George A. Higginson, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the fourteenth day of November, A.D. 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or otherwise, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify and warn all persons that my wife, Berilla E. Green, has left my bed and board, and after this date I will not be responsible for any bills of her contracting.

JOHN F. GREEN.

Lowell, Mass., Oct. 10, 1898.

Another Great War President.

Probably no great public man was more assailed and vilified than Abraham Lincoln, the first great war president. Not only was he personally abused and traduced but his administration was severely criticised.

Undoubtedly he made mistakes in the conduct of the war and those mistakes furnished to the copperhead press the material which they rolled on their tongues like sweet morsels.

Yet today no man stands higher in the estimate of Americans irrespective of political opinions than Abraham Lincoln, the martyred president.

He is today recognized in his true light as an honest sincere man who carried the country through a great struggle always maintaining his simple sincerity of purpose and unblemished character.

The fierce light of partisan criticism has died out, and the mistakes of the war are forgotten in the grandness of the achievements of his administration.

So today President McKinley comes in for much criticism and abuse for the conduct of the war from the partisan press.

Of this Secretary Long well said last night at the Republican club banquet:

"When you sweep the field from the hilltop of fairness and good sense, and not from the swamps of partisanship, what cancer of corruption or dishonesty has been exposed, and what is the result but the most complete success won at the expense of the least possible extravagance and failures?"

The mistakes of the present war have been many no doubt, but the fact remains that the war has been brought to a glorious finish, and when partisanship is laid aside, in the calm, clear judgment born of sober thought, history will place President McKinley's name high in the temple of fame, with the revered name of the patient, noble-hearted Lincoln.

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The undersigned agrees to refund the money or a 50 cent bottle of Green's Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or no pay.

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AN OUTING THAT IS EXCITING AND HEALTHFUL.

That Maine is the greatest paradise for those of sporting inclination was long since granted, but to the average New Englander the Sportsman's Show in Boston last spring was an eye-opener. Hundreds who visited this marvelous exhibition declared that this fall they should participate in this, the most fascinating sport; and that the promises being made for a great hunt in the Maine hunting grounds. On every east-bound train will be found great quantities of trappings and outfits of the hunters, while the sportsmen talk over and dream of the excitement incident to the deer hunt. Many are the city men now—a-days who are enjoying a palatable spread of venison, the result of the good luck of some friend; but to be able to participate in the chase of a deer or moose is an enjoyment that is finely described in a recent article in "Outing" which reads like this:

"It was to a barren opening about a mile from our camp that we were bountiful, and reach it we were obliged to pass a small lake, when, suddenly, we saw on the shore, opposite, a great bull moose. Our guide quickly made preparations to call. The old fellow at the first challenge showed in every move that he was ready and willing to fight, and immediately started in our direction. To see that great animal, a beast tearing through the underbrush, bellowing as only an infuriated animal can, was a most thrilling and exciting experience.

"When within a short distance from us he stopped. Tossing his head high in the air he pawed the earth. His every manner was that of the 'King of the Woods,' that he is. We still remained under cover, and fearing that he might start in another direction we hurriedly made a dash for it. It was a most exciting experience. When within a short distance from us he stopped. Tossing his head high in the air he pawed the earth. His every manner was that of the 'King of the Woods,' that he is. We still remained under cover, and fearing that he might start in another direction we hurriedly made a dash for it. It was a most exciting experience.

This experience is not exceptional, but a regular and oft-repeated occurrence, and one in which you would delight.

As Boston & Maine R.R. and its connections pervade every part of this resourceful country, and its trains are run at convenient hours; and in the parlor sleeping-car service that is in effect, you can go there in luxury and comfort.

If you want to know of the hunting regions of Maine, send a two-cent stamp to the General Passenger Agent, B. & M. R. R., Boston, for the book entitled Fishing and Hunting, which is profusely illustrated.

Dig down to the cause of your sickness. Most likely it is indigestion. The irritating poisons of fermenting putrid food, left in the stomach by indigestion, causes headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizziness, stomach-ache, nausea, irritability, and all the well known symptoms of indigestion.

They also cause many pains and disorders which are often laid to other causes and hence are not easily cured. But as soon as the poisons are removed, all these symptoms and disorders disappear, because there is nothing left to irritate them. Nothing succeeds in this like Shaker Digestive Cordial, because it prevents the undigested food from fermenting in the stomach and helps the stomach to digest its food.

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FROM PORTO RICO.

Corporal Deacon Writes Interestingly of His Experience.

Corporal James Deacon of Co. H, 6th regiment, writes to his mother, Mrs. Greenwood, of this city from Utuado, Porto Rico, under date of Oct. 3 as follows:

As I write you this letter darkness has set in and I write by the aid of the electric light in front of the quarters. The nights are very comfortable here but we are troubled with mosquitoes. When I go to bed I simply take off my leggings and shoes and with my tent rolled up for a pillow and my rubber and woolen blankets under me. I manage to sleep until 5.45 a. m., when first call is sounded and at 6 p. m., fall in in front of quarters for inspection of arms. You don't know how I long to come home once more, but I would not come without the regiment unless I was sick, which condition I am far from being in.

Yesterday was Sunday and at church service a minister from Concord, N. H., spoke, to the boys words of encouragement and good cheer from the old Bay State. Friday we had a flag raising in front of Mr. Ayer's office, and our regiment band and the native band furnished music. As I am writing the native band is playing dance music in a house about 50 yards away, and as I passed by a short time ago I saw the colonel and his wife being entertained there. Today the paymaster arrived from Areibo with more hospital nurses of which I think this regiment is very much in need. Last night I went to bed about 12 and about 12.25 I awoke at the sound of a pistol shot. As I ran to the door, I was just in time to hear another shot fired at a fleeing native by the native police, who are armed with a rifle similar to a Winchester. The fleeing man ran into our quarters where he was captured by the police a few minutes later. I don't know just what he had done but I think the offense was raising a disturbance in a house. This morning the government began issuing fresh bread. One pound per day to a man and I tell you it tastes good. Tomorrow I am going to buy some molasses or honey and have that for breakfast. The folks I have become acquainted with who run the printing office, told me if I felt sick to go over there and they would nurse me. I have dined with them and they are very kind. You would laugh to hear me trying to talk Spanish with them.

This country is full of bugs and insects of many kinds. There is also a curiosity here that is continually coming to my notice, and that is the absence of glass for windows. In place of wooden shutters is a pair of wooden shutters made to close like doors. The roofs of some of the houses are also peculiar to an American. The roof consists of pieces of clay pipe seemingly cut in two and one half is turned convex side up and the other concave side upward. They are laid similar to the manner of shingles and held in place by plaster or cement.

The plaza is a very pretty sight with all kinds of flowers in bloom including roses. During the day when the sun is hottest many of the streets are used by the merchants to dry coffee spread out on bags. Some of the folks here in town turn out finely dressed on Sunday and in the latest fashion, but the majority of the natives are poor and go about in the market place buying a cent's worth of this or a cent's worth of that, and if the boys try to sell them anything the answer is invariably "no money." The town is well lit up with are lights for which the natives have no fear. I am O. K., but the regiment as a whole is in very, very poor shape.

MR. KNOX'S SPEECH

Mr. Knox made a notable speech last night at Lowell before the Workmen's club, in which he stated his position on the issues of the hour. Touching on the industrial situation he said:

"This is a national election and national questions are involved. It is a national congressman. The jurisdiction of congress with regard to labor questions is fixed and limited by the constitution. This is a government by checks and balances and each department thereof has its limited powers strictly defined by the constitution. Congress cannot fix the hours of labor, nor provide against the employment of women or children, nor provide for weekly payments or for a definite period of labor per week. All these things are better left to the hands of the employers and the workers, notably Massachusetts.

"I feel proud that I was permitted to be a member of the Massachusetts legislature and to work to vote for the 10-hour bill.

your cause. What are the interests of labor in Lowell and New England? First, to obtain living wages; second, to secure for one's self the largest portion of the price of what you produce you can. New England is a manufacturing community. The wages in the south are 33 per cent lower by the day and 40 per cent by the piece work. Twenty-seven per cent of the employees are children against five per cent in Massachusetts. I think it is plain that we suffer from the competition of the goods they make. This condition cannot be changed by law, but we are to give up on that account? I say I would not abandon a single law in force, because time and experience has shown the benefits of them to the workingman and woman.

Mr. Knox took his stand squarely on the Republican state platform in regard to the Philippines, declaring that they must not be given back to Spain. He said:

"Congress has given you a home market. By the providence of God in the late war, the Philippines have come into our possession. Through them we are entering the great and limitless Eastern market, with its 850,000,000 of people. China is awakening out of her barbarism and with India has a market of 700,000,000 of people. The islands of the Pacific are all seeing the new light through the advance of civilized nations. Now America is knocking at their doors."

Mr. Knox closed with a strong exposition of the sound money platform of the Republican party.

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My Dear Kate:

I have another letter from my French chef in which he says as an introduction:

"To continue in the line suggested in my last letter I must make more suggestions as to the cooking of game, and I cheerfully comply. To you I may say that I have given only the plainest of recipes, those that are so simple that none of your friends need fail to be satisfied and pleased. There will be plenty of time for more complex dishes later."

I fully agree with Mons. Role and commend his latest ideas.

Yours culturally,
Comfort Jones,
Doctor of Cookery.

My Dear Doctor:

Of four-footed game there is great variety, particularly in the leading markets of the larger cities, and a dinner of this kind once in a while is always a pleasing variety. Venison, moose meat and also bear steaks and chops can be obtained in the season and at reasonable prices. All steaks of this character should be broiled to be at their best, and most people will insist that they be "well done." The custom of serving some tart jelly with game, as you know, is a good one to follow, and with many a little lemon juice added to the meat is a decided improvement. In selecting meat of the above class be sure and get your cuts from young animals, or you will be far from satisfied. The hunter who is looking for meat to supply his camp never shoots an old buck because he knows by experience that it is only the younger doe or buck that is nice and tender.

What is true of deer is also true of other game. Many an otherwise good dinner is spoiled by lack of care in selecting its essentials. But suppose you have your game. How are you going to cook it? One of the first thoughts that comes to the ordinary person is: "I will have a game stew."

Candidly, the idea is one of the best you can adopt unless you are an expert cook. A game stew is easily made, always palatable, and has this advantage: you can use almost any kind of game in its composition, and two or three kinds of meat are preferable. Let us prepare one assuming that you have a piece of venison, a couple of quails and a partridge you wish to serve for your family and guests.

Place in a round bottomed, deep kettle a half cupful of olive oil (if you haven't the oil fry out the fat from a couple of slices of salt pork cut into dice), and when boiling hot put in your game well cut up and let it sear over and brown. Remove the meat and brown in the oil a couple of onions cut fine. Replace the game and put in hot water enough to sing salt and pepper, a garlic and a couple of Chili peppers or a

game is tender, and the water in the outer kettle at a boil. In half an hour, or so, all the water in the inner boiler should be absorbed by the rice. Dry, as in last recipe, and serve plain, or dressed according to some one of the following methods:

BUTTERED RICE.
Heat a tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan, but do not let it brown. Add half-a-teaspoonful of onion-juce, and a little pepper and salt, cook one minute and pour upon the rice, tossing this with a fork to let the butter penetrate. A great spoonful of Parmesan cheese makes it yet more savory.

OR.
Pour over the hot, dry rice a generous cupful of strained tomato-sauce, into which has been stirred a great spoonful of Parmesan cheese.

OR.
Add to a cupful of chicken or other gravy, a half-cupful of finely minced meat, season well and pour upon the rice when dished.

RISSOTTA
Is a favorite Italian luncheon-dish, and good everywhere.

Heat two tablespoonfuls of butter in a sauce-pan with a teaspoonful of onion-juce, and when it begins to hiss, turn in half a cupful of raw rice which has been washed, then dried in a hot colander. Stir, off and on, for fifteen minutes, adding at the end of five, a quarter-cupful of boiling water. When the quarter-hour is up, pour in a quart of boiling water and cook fast for another quarter. If the water is not all absorbed by then, drain it off, pour in half a cupful of strained tomato sauce, seasoned with pepper, salt, a pinch of mace, and twice as much grated lemon-peel. Simmer ten minutes longer and dish. Pass Parmesan cheese for those who like it.

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Five pounds of ripe tomatoes, one quart of vinegar, three pounds of brown sugar. Boil down well and add spices to suit the taste.

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The Present Day Test.

The mid term election seems to be a
time designed particularly to afford
the man who didn't receive an office at
the hands of his congressman, an op-
portunity to get even with that troubled
individual.

We are not referring at this time to
any particular case but to a fact that is
a fact all over our country.

There would seem to be something
radically wrong in a system of govern-
ment, that leads people to judge of a
public official's worth as a legislator and
law maker, by the popularity of the of-
ficer he helps to appoint, yet that is
the exact situation to-day in this coun-
try.

The memory does not need to go
back very far to recall how the brilliant
Greenhalgh in our own district fell the
victim of spite of this kind, and one
Massachusetts congressman this year
is said to have withdrawn from a con-
test because of the unpopularity of
some of his appointments.

The test to-day seems not to be a
test of a man's training, ability, and
real worth, but rather a test of a man's
ability to choose the collector, or post-
master, or letter carrier, who has the
most friends, or political influence.

The Town's Lighting.

The question of lighting the streets
of Andover is not an issue for the next
three years. By the full report of the
new agreement published elsewhere, it
will be seen that Andover is not yet to
go back to kerosene or gasoline, but
the electric company will continue to
light the streets.

The changing of the lights to smaller
sized incandescents, and more of them,
would seem to promise a much more
satisfactory lighting of many of the
shady streets of the town, although
some of our good friends who have
basked in the brilliancy of an arc light,
right in front of their home, may feel
badly to have it taken away.

The committee deserves hearty com-
mendation for its faithful discharge of
a duty, that has had many disagreeable
features, but which now seems to merit
for each member a "well done."

Editorial Clashes.

The declaration of the party press
that Congressman Knox is in favor of
the annexation of the Philippine is-
lands, is most unjust to that gentleman.

Mr. Knox as chairman of the com-
mittee on resolutions was the respon-
sible party for the plank in the Massa-
chusetts platform touching upon the
Philippine question. He has taken no
stand since that time not in hearty ac-
cord with the platform. The question
has long since passed beyond that of
whether we shall take these far away
islands, for we already have them. It
is now what shall we do with them and
on that score Mr. Knox makes the one
positive statement that they must not be
given back to Spain.

Governor Long well said at the great
music hall gathering last Wednesday
night, that this question is a great and
pressing one; that this great nation
had always had a man to meet such
emergencies, and he believed such a
man for the present one was to be
found in President McKinley.

No man who knows the loyalty,
ability, and high character of the
present congressman from the fifth
district will doubt that his stand will
be a firm upholding of every act of our
nation's ruler.

The time of the year when Andover
is most attractive is always the present
time, whenever that "present time"
may be. Thus the enthusiastic And-
over citizen is sure to declare, and he
will be right.

But if there is one time when the
eye will sparkle just a little brighter,
and the voice quiver just a little
more, in telling of Andover's beauties,
it is in the month of "brilliant foliage
and bracing air," the month of October.

NEW LIGHTING CONTRACT

Favorable Terms Agreed Upon After Weeks
of Arbitration. Many Changes.

The Andover Electric company will
supply the town of Andover with electric
lights for the next three years, a contract
to that effect having been entered into
by the street lighting committee.

Incandescent lights will be used in-
stead of arc lights in many cases, as it is
believed that the results will be much
better.

School Street which has been one of
the darkest streets in town will now be
one of the lightest.

The work of making the changes has
already begun and quite a few have been
made. There are to be 23 new incandes-
cent lamps and the appropriation will ad-
mit of fourteen more.

The incandescents will be 20 candle
power instead of 25.

Changes of the Lights.

Following are changes in lights re-
quested by the committee and accepted by
the electric company, all of them
being new lights unless otherwise stated.
Arc lamp now suspended from the tree
in front of Town Hall to the place
on pole in front of bank building, 30
feet from the ground.

Arc lamp on north side of Park Street
near Florence Street to be moved to
south side of Park Street, opposite centre
of Florence Street.

Arc lamp near Centennial tree in Elm
square to be moved to a pole to be
placed on High Street on the edge of the
sidewalk on the west side of the street,
at a point opposite the south end of the
railing enclosing the land of J. W. Barn-
ard.

One incandescent lamp to be sus-
pended on Elm Street opposite house of
Joseph F. Cole.

One incandescent lamp to be put on an
arm on Pearson Street about 25 feet from
North Main Street.

One incandescent lamp to be put on an
arm on Central Street at head of Brook
Street.

One incandescent lamp to be put on an
arm on Central Street, near driveway of
George Ripley.

One incandescent lamp to be put on an
arm on School Street opposite house of
the late Dr. Kimball.

One incandescent lamp to be put on an
arm on School Street opposite Dr. Cham-
berlain's house.

One incandescent lamp on an arm on
School Street at head of Locke Street.

One incandescent lamp on an arm on
School Street, at west entrance of Abbot
Academy.

One incandescent lamp to be placed on
an arm on School Street nearly opposite
east entrance to Abbot Academy.

One incandescent lamp to be placed on
Locke Street between residence of J. N.
Cole and K. O. A. club house.

One incandescent lamp to be sus-
pended on Abbot Street about 25 feet
from School Street, the arc lamp at the
head of Abbot Street to be removed.

One incandescent lamp on arm at the
head of the road leading to Mineral
Street, opposite Smith & Dove bleach
house.

One incandescent lamp on an arm at
the head of Baker's Lane.

Change location of incandescent lamp
on High Street from near Mr. Spence's
house to point near William Brown's
house.

One incandescent lamp suspended on
High Street opposite residence of F. E.
Gleason.

Two incandescent lamps on Phillips
Street between Main Street and Taylor
Cottage.

One incandescent lamp on Phillips
Street about 300 feet from Abbot Street.

One incandescent lamp about midway
between residence of Peter D. Smith and
Lincoln Street.

One incandescent lamp near Richard
Williamson's.

One incandescent lamp about midway
between incandescent lamp at Mr.
O'Hara's and arc lamp near church.

One incandescent lamp in Frye Village
at east end of bridge on Haverhill Street.

One incandescent lamp on arm on
Porter Street at junction of roads be-
tween Prof. Forbes' residence and Sam-
uel H. Bailey's.

One incandescent lamp on Maple Ave-
nue between Elm Street and the incan-
descent lamp now on that street.

The New Contract.

Following is the new contract which
has been agreed upon after so much con-
troversy:

Articles of Agreement.

Made this 18th day of October, A. D.,
1898, by and between the Andover Elec-
tric Company, a corporation duly incor-
porated under the laws of the Common-
wealth of Massachusetts, located at And-
over, Massachusetts, and the town of And-
over, Massachusetts, Witnesses:

FIRST: That said Electric Company
agrees to light the streets of said Andover
with twenty-nine (29) arc lamps of nom-
inal twelve hundred (1200) candle power
capacity, and five hundred and eleven
(511) incandescent lamps of nominal
twenty (20) candle power each.

SECOND: That said Electric Company
will, at its own expense and risk, keep
said lamps in operation so as to produce
light at their respective capacities, as
aforesaid, and during the hours herein
after specified, for the term of three
years from the first day of April, A. D.,
1898.

THIRD: Said Company further agrees
that it will furnish, set up, and operate,
as aforesaid, any number of lamps within
the capacity of its plant which the Town
may require, during the term of this con-
tract, beyond said number of arc and in-
candescent as named in article "First" of
this contract, at an expense to said town
of seventy-six (76) dollars per year for
each of said arc lamps of nominal twelve
hundred (1200) candle power capacity,
and sixteen (16) dollars per year for each
of said incandescent lamps of twenty
(20) candle power.

FOURTH: Said Electric Company fur-
ther agrees to change the location of the
three following arc lamps to the points
designated by the Lighting Committee,
viz: The arc lamp now located at the
Corner of Park and Florence Streets to a
pole at a point on Park Street; the arc
lamp now suspended from a tree in front
of the Town House to a pole in front of
the Bank Building; the arc lamp now lo-
cated back of the Centennial Tree to a pole at
a point on High and Main Streets. And
the said Town of Andover is to allow the
said Electric Company for changing the
location of the three (3) arc lamps afore-
said, eight (8) dollars per lamp, and it is
further understood that the said Elec-
tric Company will change by raising or
lowering any of the incandescent lamps
on the poles where they are now located
and will also place upon poles or sus-
pend any of the extra lamps beyond the
number eighty-four (84) now in use.

FIFTH: In consideration of which said
Town of Andover agrees to pay to said
Electric Company, for said lights, twenty-
nine (29) arc and one hundred and
eleven (111) incandescent, to burn twenty-
five (25) hours per month from dark till
twelve-thirty (12:30) o'clock A. M.: the
sum of seventy-six (76) dollars per year
for each arc lamp and the sum of sixteen
(16) dollars per year for each incandes-
cent. Payments to be made monthly in
pro rata rates, on the regular pay days
of the Town. It is further understood
that a rebate of twenty-five (25) cents per
arc lamp and five (5) cents per incandes-
cent lamp per night will be made by said
Electric Company if said lamps are ex-
tinguished during the time herein speci-
fied for lighting the same. With the un-
derstanding that three (3) hours, or more,
shall constitute a night and that this
condition shall not apply to lamps
broken during the night of their extin-
guishment.

SIXTH: It is further understood that
the Town of Andover, aforesaid, shall
have the right to cancel this contract at
any time if said Electric Company shall
not operate the lamps in accordance with
the tenor of the same. But said Town
of Andover shall give written notice to
the Superintendent of said Electric Com-
pany of its intention to cancel the same
and expressing in said notice the particu-
lar fault or faults mentioned and said
Electric Company shall have thirty (30)
days from the receipt of said notice to
remedy said fault or faults.

SEVENTH: It is agreed that the break-
ing of the lines of the Electric Company,
by the elements, accident to its machin-
ery, or fire at its station, shall not be con-
sidered as a fault by which this contract
shall be cancelled, provided said Electric
Company shall repair and put its plant
into working condition without unrea-
sonable delay.

In witness whereof said Andover Elec-
tric Company, by its Treasurer, hereto
authorized, and the Town of Andover by
its Committee duly authorized at the an-
nual Town Meeting of said Town, held
March 7, A. D., 1898, hereto set their
corporate names and seals the day and
year first above written.

Andover Electric Company,
By WALTER H. COLEMAN,
Its Treasurer.

Town of Andover,
By JOHN L. SMITH,
BARNETT ROGERS,
WM. G. GOLDSMITH,
JOHN W. BELL,
COLVER J. STONE,
Its Committee.

James Whitcomb Riley.

Whose writings always charm, and
whose readings are even more enjoyable,
is to treat the people of Lowell to one of
his delightful evenings, on Thursday,
November 10th at the Lowell Opera
House.

Next to having this prince of entertain-
ers in Andover for our citizens own de-
lectation, will be this opportunity of hear-
ing him in our neighboring city, and it
is probable many of our citizens will
avail themselves of the opportunity.

The readings are under the auspices of
of the Middlesex Woman's Club, and
tickets will go on sale at the Opera
House, November 5.

Wedding.

RHODES-SOUTAR.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Soutar
and Walter S. Rhodes, both well known
Andover young people, was solemnized
at the residence of the bride's parents
on Cuba Street Wednesday evening.

The ceremony was performed at 7.30
o'clock by Rev. Frederick A. Wilson of
the Free Church, in the presence of rela-
tives of the contracting parties. The
bride and groom were Miss Annie Soutar,
sister of the bride, and John C. Angus acted
as best man. The bride and bridesmaid
were becomingly gowned.

A reception was held after the cere-
mony and a wedding supper served. The
bride received many beautiful and use-
ful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes will reside on
Maple Avenue.

O'CONNELL-WATSON.

David O'Connell and Miss Lottie Wat-
son were married at the parochial resi-
dence, Wednesday evening by Rev. Fr.
O'Mahoney. Timothy Pasho acted as
best man and Annie O'Connell, sister of
the groom, was bridesmaid.

WRIGHT-SMITH.

A brilliant society wedding which re-
cently occurred in Washington, D. C.,
will be of some local interest, as the
bride, Miss Helen Saunders Smith, is the
daughter of Chief Engineer David Smith,
a brother of John L. Smith of town.

The groom, Chas. Hewitt Wright of
Pittsfield, Mass., is a nephew of former
Representative Wright.

He is a lawyer and a member of the city
council at Pittsfield.

The ceremony was performed before a
large and fashionable audience at St.
Margaret's church, after which a brilliant
reception was held at the residence of
the bride's parents, on Connecticut Ave.
There were many costly gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright will be at home
after Nov. 1, at their handsome new resi-
dence in Pittsfield.

Fifty Years of Success.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the
Free Church will fittingly observe its 50th
anniversary next Thursday evening. The
society will hold its annual meeting in
the afternoon, and the evening will be
given up to the observance for which
great preparations are being made.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society is one
of the healthiest organizations of the
Free Church, and their work during the
past fifty years has been a glorious one.
The distribution of charity both at home
and in foreign fields has been done sys-
tematically and carefully and many a
missionary's heart has been gladdened by
the receipt of a barrel of clothing and
good things from the ladies of the Free
Church.

The social next Thursday will be a
notable one and there will doubtless be a
large attendance.

When you have a bad cold Dr. Inclin-
ation would recommend Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy because it is pleasant and
safe to take. Dr. Experience would rec-
ommend it because it never fails to effect
a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reac-
tion would recommend it because it is
prepared on scientific principles, and
acts on nature's plan in relieving the
lungs, opening the secretions, and restor-
ing the system to a natural and healthy
condition. For sale by Arthur Bliss, And-
over, C. H. Shattuck, Ballardvale.

HOLIDAY CARNIVAL.

Rain Interferes with Attendance but Corps
Will Clear Over \$100.

The disagreeable weather last Friday
afternoon and evening doubtless kept
many people away from the Holiday Car-
nival and as a result the Woman's Relief
Corps did not realize as much as they
anticipated.

In the afternoon the children gave the
"Mother Goose" performance and re-
peated it in the evening. The Andover
Orchestra of twelve pieces discoursed ex-
cellent music at the evening session. In
spite of the small attendance there was a
fair amount of business done but there
was quite a number of articles left over.
These were not disposed of at auction
but will be kept for a sale which the
Corps will hold in the G. A. R. Hall at a
later date.

The guessing contests were decided
Friday evening when it was found that
Mrs. Frank E. Gleason had won a doll,
Miss Lila Gleason a cake, while Walter
Holt and Charles Greene divided a cake,
the number of it being 10, while they
guessed 9 and 11 respectively.

The committee expects after clearing
all expenses to net a little over \$100 as a
result of their labors.

Shoe Selection.

These are essential points every wom-
an should have in mind when selecting
shoes. They should fit well, look well,
and wear well. The "Queen Quality" shoe
has all these points. George Woodman,
agent, 270 Essex Street, Lawrence.

Dig down to the cause of your sickness,
if you want to get well and stay well.
Most likely it's indigestion. The irritat-
ing poisons of fermenting putrid food,
left in the stomach by indigestion, causes
headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizz-
iness, stomach-ache, nausea, irritability,
and all the well known symptoms of in-
digestion.

They also cause many pains and disor-
ders which are often laid to other causes
and hence are not easily cured. But as
soon as the poisons are removed, all these
symptoms and disorders disappear, be-
cause there is nothing left to cause them.
Nothing succeeds in this like Shaker
Digestive Cordial, because it presents the
undigested food from fermenting in the
stomach and helps the stomach to digest
its food.

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\$1.00 per bottle.

A Card.

SECOND ANNUAL

Chrysanthemum Exhibition

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Season Ticket, 40c. Single Admission, 25 c.

Children's Admission, 15c.

School Children, - - - - - 5c.

Good only on Friday, from 2 until 6 P. M.

WORK ON THE SEWER.

Opinion that the Filter Beds Ought not to be Used this Year.

Work on the new sewer is going on rapidly. Digging on Maple Avenue has been discontinued this week and the trench on High Street opened up.

Good progress has been made despite the bad weather. Several house connections have been made.

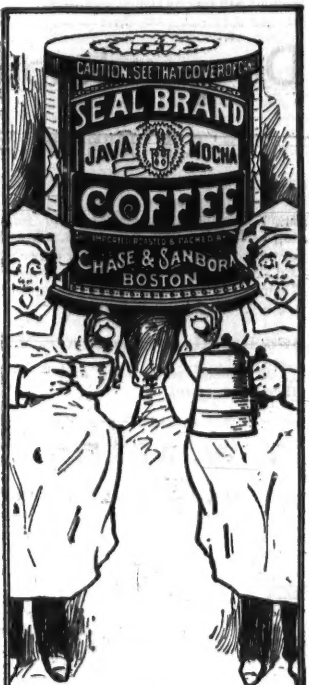
A well known engineer in discussing Andover's system of sewers said, that in his opinion it would be a shame to have sewerage thrown on the new filter beds this year. He said it takes a long time for the sand in the beds to reach the proper condition and he thought it would be a mistake to use the sewer this winter.

The plan is, however, to operate the high service section of the sewer as soon as it has been completed and the house connections made. It is understood that no attempt will be made to use the low service section, that is, that which is situated west of North Main Street and High Street, and requires the pumping of the sewerage to the main pipe on High Street.

Card.

The Woman's Relief Corps wish to extend their sincere thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted them at their late carnival.

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BALLARDVALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. ARTHUR L. GOLDER, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 29.
10.30 A. M. Worship with sermon Sunday school to follow morning service.
6.00 P. M. P. S. C. E. meeting.
7.00 P. M. Praise service with address.
7.30 P. M. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. C. LE VERNER ROBERTS, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 30.
10.30 A. M. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school to follow morning service.
6.00 P. M. Epworth League meeting.
7.00 P. M. Vesper service with address by the pastor.
7.30 P. M. Friday evening, prayer meeting.

Deaths.

In Lowell, Oct. 29, John Donohue. Age 69 years.

In Saxtonville, Oct. 26, Mrs. Abby S. (Brown) Newhall of chronic heart disease. Age, 62 years, 6 months.

Birth.

In Ballardvale, Oct. 21, a son, John Augustine, to Mr. and Mrs. William Welch, River Street.

Father McGowan of Lawrence preached last Sunday at St. Joseph's Church.

Miss Kitty Manney of Lawrence spent Sunday with friends in the Village.

Last Saturday seventeen Vale people attended Mechanics' Fair, Boston.

Miss Mabel Nason of Somerville spent Thursday with relatives in the Vale.

Miss Rosalie Brewer of Hulls Cove, Me., spent Sunday with friends in the Village.

Miss Edna Bowie of Lawrence spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Lizzie Steed.

Whist Club met last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shaw.

Eight Vale people took part in the A. O. U. W. parade in Boston Thursday evening.

Mrs. William Ross of Andover has been several days with her daughter, Mrs. John T. Wood, Marland Street.

Mrs. John Stanley of Hulls Cove, Me., has been spending several days with her friend, Mrs. Wilbur F. Ward, Sand Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McQueeney and daughter, Rachael, of Lawrence, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Scott, Andover Street.

Brief reports of the Mass. State C. E. convention held at Bruckton, were given last Sunday evening at the meeting of the local society.

The young ladies of the Vale will hold a Halloween dance in Ballard hall next Monday evening, Oct. 31. A good time is anticipated. Tickets, 25 cents.

There will be a C. E. Halloween social in the Congregational Church vestry next Monday evening, Oct. 31. A very cordial invitation is extended to any of the young people of the Village to attend.

Ballardvale Lodge, No. 105, will hold a "School of Instruction," conducted by Willard O. Wyllie of Beverly, in their hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14. Special invitations have been extended to members of Red Spring Lodge, Andover, Rescue Lodge, North Andover, and Walker Lodge, Wilmington to attend. All Good Templars are cordially invited to be present.

John Donohue, a former resident of the Vale, died last week Thursday at his home in Lowell after an illness which had been more or less severe during the past four years. The deceased was 60 years old. Mr. Donohue will doubtless be remembered by many of the older residents here. Besides a wife he leaves six sons to mourn his loss. The funeral was held last Monday afternoon.

On account of the inclement weather there was a small attendance at the entertainment in Ballard hall last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Epworth League. An unusually fine program was presented. Mrs. Sarah Lord Bailey very ably sustained her well earned reputation for being a first class elocutionist. Her selections were good and exceptionally well rendered.

Mrs. Abby S. (Brown) Newhall died last Wednesday forenoon at 9.30 o'clock in Saxtonville at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alice Ames, of chronic heart disease at the age of 62 years, 6 months. The deceased was born in Princeton, Mass., April 11, 1836. Mrs. Newhall has lived in the Vale during the past 13 years in the family of Bancroft T. Haynes. She possessed a very cheerful and social disposition and had a happy faculty of bringing sunshine wherever she went, making her a social favorite. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. Alice Ames of Saxtonville, Mrs. Julia Sanderson of Newton, Mrs. S. R. Gillis of Lawrence, and three brothers, Charles Brown of Worcester, Harvey Brown of Princeton, and Alvin Brown of Searsmont, Me., to mourn her loss. The funeral took place from the Methodist Church this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was conducted by the Rev. C. LeVern Roberts. Interment in Spring Grove Cemetery.

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Mrs. Charles Thwing of Georgetown spent Wednesday with friends in the Vale.

Mrs. J. H. Downs of Contoocook, N. H., was the guest Sunday of her daughter, Miss Anna Downs.

Mrs. J. O. Pratt and Miss Lucretia Hopkins of Reading spent Tuesday with Mrs. Chas. E. Davies.

Chas. Knox and niece, Miss Blanch McLaughlin of Lawrence, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Morton Walker has accepted a position with Chas. Thwing, meat and provision dealer, of Georgetown.

Fred Foster of Chicago, Ill., and Wm. Morrison of Alliston spent Tuesday with friends in the Village.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buckley and children of Methuen spent Sunday with friends in the Vale.

Last Friday forenoon a son, John Augustine was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Welch, River Street.

There was a large attendance at the Harvest concert at the Congregational Church last Sunday evening. The exercises were unusually good especially the singing and exercises by the smaller children.

Bradlee Entertainment Course.

The following is a list of the Bradlee Course of Lectures and Entertainments for the ensuing season:

Nov. 9. Concert by Tremont Male Quartette, assisted by Miss Flora H. Clifford, reader.

Nov. 23. Dr. J. C. Bowker, illustrated lecture on "Spain."

Dec. 7. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd assisted by Miss Caroline B. Nichols, reader and pianist.

Dec. 21. Judge George Alden, lecture, subject: "A New Nation."

Jan. 4 1899. Concert by the Addie Chase Smith Concert Co.

Nov. 18. J. Williams Macy, Humorist and Buffo Basso, assisted by Miss Edith Coburn Noyes, Pianist.

Feb. 1. Concert by the Enterpe Harp and Mandolin Club, assisted by Miss Lottie Adams, reader.

Nov. 15. Mr. Frank R. Roberson, illustrated lecture, "Manila and the Philippines." Mr. Roberson is now in Manila.

March 1. Rev. E. T. Phelps, lecture, subject: "Some Fables and their Follies."

March 15. Concert by the Brahms Orchestral Club, assisted by Mr. Wm. R. Page, humorist.

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FOOTBALL

P. A. 11; YALE FRESHMEN, 0.

Phillips Andover defeated Yale Freshmen Saturday, 11 to 0.

The gridiron was in wretched condition, too slippery for fast play. Andover's first touchdown was made in the first half by steady gains from her own 25 yard line. Davis failed to kick a goal.

Andover played a kicking game in the second half, Cullinane easily outpunting Rumsay. With one minute to play, Davis got the ball on a fumble and ran 40 yards for a touchdown. He kicked a goal.

Yale played an aggressive game to the last. Andover frequently got the ball on downs. There was considerable fumbling by both teams.

Ward of Yale made the best gains of any of the backs on his team, but Rumsay bucked Andover's line to advantage several times.

Andover made a better showing in offensive play than in any previous game this season.

Several tricks were used with success.

ANDOVER. Matthews, le., Rafferty, Weeks, lt., O'Neill, lg., Newton, c., Cunnah, Holt, (captain), rg., Bloomer, rt., Wallace, re., Howard, qb., Davis, lb., Wilhelm, rh., Cullinane, fb., fb., Rumsay, (captain).

Score: Andover 11, Yale '02, 0. Touchdowns, Davis 2. Goals from touchdowns, Davis. Umpire, Mr. Stearns. Referee, O'Connor '08. Linesmen, Brainard '00, C. L. Childs '08, Yale '02. Time-keeper, Mr. Freeman. Time 20 minute halves.

ANDOVER 6, HOLY CROSS 0.

Andover defeated Holy Cross, Wednesday afternoon, by the above score in one of the best played games of the season. The field was in a wretched condition and there was plenty of fumbling on both sides. Andover made all her gains through the line, Cross and McKay making good gains. Howard at quarterback and Davis at tackle played well. The only points were scored in the second half when McKay was pushed over for a touchdown. Davis kicked a goal. Near the end of the game Holy Cross had the ball on Andover's 3-yard line but strong offensive work prevented them from scoring.

The summary:

ANDOVER. Matthews, le., Weeks, lt., Davis, O'Neill, lg., Newton, c., Holt (captain), rg., Bloomer, rt., Wallace, re., Howard, qb., Davis, lb., Wilhelm, rh., Cross, fb., fb., Kenney, Mercer, McKay, fb., Baldwin, fb., Powers.

Score, Andover 6, Touchdown, McKay. Goal from touchdown, Davis. Umpire, Connor. Referee, Stearns. Linesmen, Brainard, P. A.: Hennessy, Holy Cross. Time, 26 min. halves.

Boston College will play the Phillips Andover eleven next Wednesday.

Coach McCormack, Captain Baldwin and Fullback Horsey of the Exeter team saw the Holy Cross-Andover game, Wednesday.

Friday it was hardly expected that Captain Hildebrand of Princeton, formerly of Andover, would be able to stay through the Cornell game Saturday. In spite of the fact that he was suffering with a sprained and swollen elbow he easily carried off the honors for the tigers, and the single touchdown made by the Jersey men came directly from his efforts in blocking one of Young's kicks.

Another change has been made in the formation of the Phillips Academy football team. Davis, who has been playing halfback so well, has gone back to his original position at tackle, and Cross has been given a place behind the line. Wilhelm, who has been playing half, is now being tailed at fullback and is doing well. McKay and Cross are the probable choice for halfbacks.

Around the County

COUNTY NOTES.

The bakers and confectioners of Haverhill have organized a trade union.

The Byfield woolen mills started up last Monday after six weeks of idleness.

Alexander Gervais fell down the elevator well in the Hamilton mills, Newburyport, Saturday, and had his ribs broken and his head cut.

The schooner Charles Cooper of Exeter, N. H., went ashore in the gas, Sunday morning, at Pavilion beach, Gloucester. She will be saved.

Citizens of Newburyport are making a strong fight to carry the city license this year. It has been a license city for some time.

Thomas Bagley and William Conih of Haverhill have been granted honorable discharges from the Eighth regiment on account of sickness.

The Young Men's Republican city and the Republican city committee are arranging for a big celebration and banquet to take place in Salem, Nov. 3.

Mormon missionaries are working in Georgetown visiting from house to house with the hope of inducing residents of that town to join their order.

Amesbury's town teams, have according to the estimate of the selectmen of that town earned fully \$1000 over and above their expenses the past year.

William S. Wilson and Anna Bjork, prominent Newburyport Salvationists, are missing from their homes. The woman is a Swede and is a fine singer; Wilson leaves a wife and family.

Two men entered the store of S. H. Strickland, Haverhill, Saturday night, and while one of them was talking with the proprietor, the other emptied the till of \$16. They escaped.

A schooner, while being carried up the river by the tug Bronx Tuesday morning, struck against the pier of the Haverhill foot bridge, and an iron bracing holding the rigging was torn off, causing but slight damage.

The police of Newburyport drove out of that city Saturday a troupe of fake performers who represented themselves as starving Cubans and U. S. sailors. The Cubans proved to be Bogotians and the sailors came from inland.

A meeting of the legal voters of Rowley has been called for next Tuesday afternoon, to consider the question of petitioning the highway commission to lay out the road from the Newbury Central station via the Turnpike and Central streets.

The Newburyport and Amesbury nine are to meet for a purse of \$150 Wednesday afternoon. Klobedans of the Boston champions will pitch for Newburyport and Walter Woods of the Chicagoans for Amesbury. The game will be played here.

A large party of Haverhill gentlemen enjoyed a coon hunting expedition in the vicinity of Newburyport Saturday night, and report good luck in securing prizes. Dr. Chase was lucky enough to bag two large coons, each tipping the scales at 20 pounds.

The Lynn section of the Socialist Labor party met at Laster's hall yesterday afternoon and placed a ticket in the field for the municipal election in December. Charles N. Wentworth presided and Mr. Wentworth was nominated for mayor. The rest of the ticket will be nominated later.

A session of probate court was held in Gloucester Monday forenoon, Judge Harmon presiding. The following business was transacted: Administrations granted on the following estates—P. R. Day of Newburyport; Alice C. Plummer of Newbury. Wills proven—Adeline Brookings, Newburyport.

Salem industries are beginning to boom and the outside world has a better opinion of them than many Salem people. The Shoe and Leather Gazette of a recent date remarked that "Salem, Mass., is looming up as a possible competitor of Brockton, Lynn and Haverhill as a shoe manufacturing centre."

Ex-Representative Benjamin F. Estabrook died at Lynn Saturday evening of heart trouble. He was a member of the paint firm of Estes & Libbey, and was one of the city's most prominent and respected citizens.

Gloucester will have a new city charter radically different to the present one. It will provide for a board of public works.

Cornelius Murphy, treasurer of Division 3, A. O. U. W., of Amesbury, is alleged to be \$50 short in his accounts. He has been treasurer of the division about five years, and during his last year in office the finance committee could not find it alleged, get a statement from him in regard to the fund. An investigation was made, and it was found that when the treasurer should have been \$1000 in the bank, there was only a little more than \$200 there.

SEVENTYTHIRD ANNUAL SESSION

AMESBURY, Oct. 25—The 73d annual session of the Rockingham, N. H., conference of Christian churches will open for a three days' session at the Christian church here today.

LYNN SOCIALISTS MEET.

LYNN, Oct. 25—The Lynn section of the socialist party held an open air meeting this evening for the purpose of expressing indignation at the outrage at Virden, Ill., and also on the arrest of speakers at a meeting of the party held in the open air in Malden several weeks ago.

MOODY AT SALEM.

SALEM, Oct. 26—Congressman Moody of the Sixth congressional district addressed the Young Men's Republican club at their headquarters yesterday afternoon upon the important features of the present campaign, especially on the tariff and monetary features.

HUSBAND AND WIFE DEAD.

IPSWICH, Oct. 25—Grief is felt here over the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. John Manning Brown of Central street. Mrs. Brown was stricken ill with pneumonia last Tuesday and died yesterday. Her husband had been ill for a long time. When informed that his wife was dead he became unconscious, and this morning he passed away.

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METHUEN.

Mrs. Aaron Gilcrest is recovering from her recent severe illness.

Alfred Newsholme has returned from an extended business trip through the west.

Mrs. John McKay of Waltham has been visiting her parents on Pelham street.

At the next meeting of Friendship temple, Rathbone Sisters, Wednesday evening, Nov. 9, a box party will be held.

Thomas L. Prescott formerly of this town is visiting his brother Jesse L. Prescott, superintendent of the town farm.

Miss Pansy Blodgett has returned from a week's visit with her sister Miss Ida F. Blodgett and other relatives in Derry, N. H.

Frank Buckminster, the contractor is about to build another house on Barker street adjoining his residence. The foundation is already nearly completed.

Kirk P. Brown makes his annual visit to his old home in Vermont this week. While away he will attend the annual reunion of his regiment of the Union army at Burlington.

Tomorrow from noon until 10 p. m., will be the last opportunity to register before the state election. Every man entitled to vote should see that his name is on the check lists.

Miss Eva Shaw of French street has accepted a position as clerk in the periodical and variety store of Theophilus Coupe on Broadway, opposite the Arlington mills, Lawrence.

Miss Bessie M. Read, one of the teachers in the Currier school went to her home in Providence, R. I., last week, where she was taken ill. She has in consequence been compelled to give up her school temporarily and Miss Helen Paige is acting as substitute teacher.

Mrs. Bertha Mitchell has accepted a position as travelling saleslady for the Lawrence Knitting company. She will sell to the trade in the cities and towns of eastern Massachusetts and southern New Hampshire. Thus far she has met with excellent success in her new undertaking.

Mrs. Maria Chabourne of Bradford Vt., has been visiting old friends here where she at one time resided. Mrs. Chabourne was formerly Mrs. John B. Bicknell who before his death was for many years an overseer in the mill of the Methuen company.

The condition of Timothy Hefferon of Stafford street who was seriously injured several weeks ago by being buried in a sandbank near the railroad bridge on Oakland avenue is reported as somewhat improved although he has not yet the full use of his limbs.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary (Smith) Bennett, wife of Samuel B. Bennett, were held Sunday afternoon, from their late residence on Forest street in the west part of the town. Burial was in Elmwood cemetery. Mrs. Bennett died Saturday from injuries received in a runaway accident earlier in the week. While driving on the Lowell road her horse became frightened by an electric car and was unmanageable. Mrs. Bennett was thrown out and injured internally. She was removed to her home and Dr. Dow and later Dr. A. L. Skinkind of Lawrence were summoned. All efforts to save her life failed. She was born in Waterbury, Me., 49 years ago. She leaves besides her husband, one daughter, and three brothers, Henry C., and James Dudley of this town and John Dudley of Lawrence.



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South Church, Congregational
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SUNDAY, OCT. 30.
10.30 A. M., morning worship with sermon by the pastor; Also sub-primary department.
Sunday school to follow.
2.30 P. M. Scotland District Sunday school.
3.00 P. M., Junior Y. F. S. C. E.
5.30 P. M. Senior Y. F. S. C. E.
7.30 P. M. Evening worship.
Monday, 7.30 Y. F. S. C. E. Hallowe'en party.
Wednesday, 8.00 P. M. Mothers' Meeting.
7.45 P. M. Preparatory.

West Parish Congregational Church. Organized 1836.
SUNDAY OCT. 30.
10.30 A. M., Preaching by Rev. Lewis Gregory.
Sunday school to follow at 12.
Y. F. S. C. E. meeting at 7 P. M.
Prayer meeting.
Wednesday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.
The Seamen's Friend Society held their first sociable of the season last evening in the Vestry. It was entertained by Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Trov.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street
Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 30.

10.30 A. M. Morning Prayer, with sermon by Rev. F. B. Allen of the Boston Episcopal City Mission.
12.00, Sunday-school.
7.00 P. M., Evening Prayer with sermon by the rector.
Tuesday, All Saints' Day, Holy Communion, 9 A. M.
Friday, 7.30 P. M. Girls' Friendly Society.

Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts. Organized 1828. Rev. F. W. Klein, Pastor.
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 30.
10.30 A. M. Public Worship, with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday-school to follow the morning service.
4.00 P. M. Meeting of the Junior Society of C. E.
6.15 P. M. Consecration meeting of Y. F. S. C. E.
7.00 P. M. Praise service, with address.
Wednesday evening, at 7.45 o'clock, meeting for prayer and conference; also the monthly church covenant and business meeting.
Thursday evening, Social of the Y. F. S. C. E.

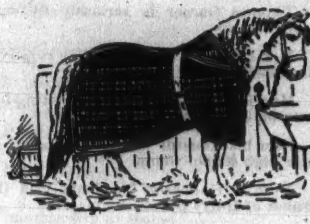
Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St.
Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 30.
10.30 A. M. Worship with sermon, by Rev. Alexander Sloan of Groveland.
Sunday-school to follow the morning service.
7.30 P. M. Monthly consecration meeting of the Y. F. S. C. E.
Tuesday evening at 7.15 o'clock, meeting of the Boys' Brigade Company.
Wednesday evening at 7.45 o'clock service preparatory to Communion.
8.00 P. M. Thursday, annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, followed by social gathering in the evening. This meeting is the fifteenth anniversary of the organization of the society and will be appropriately observed in the evening.

Chapin Church, Methodist Episcopal
Professors, Pastors.
SERVICES SUNDAY, OCT. 30.
10.30 A. M. Preaching by Prof. Taylor.
4.20 P. M. Prof. Taylor.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic
Essex St. Organized, 1850. Rev. Fr. O'Mahoney, Pastor.
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 23.
8.30 A. M. Mass and short sermon.
10.30 A. M. High Mass and sermon.
2.00 P. M. Sunday school until further notice.
3.00 P. M. Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.
Third Sunday of each month, Communion day for Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

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North Andover News

The Roundabout Club meets to-morrow afternoon.

Miss Alice Brown of Belmont has been visiting with Miss Davis.

Miss Whitney of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. George G. Davis.

Miss Helen Hayward of Ward Hill has been visiting Miss Bertha Shedd.

Several from Lawrence attended the Jefferson club dance Friday evening.

William G. Brooks and family have returned to their winter home in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rea, who have been visiting in New York, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Aphorpe at tended the first symphony concert in Boston, Friday.

Horace Washburn, crossing tender at Marblehead Street, is spending a vacation in Boston.

Miss Anna M. Tucker of the Farnham District, who has been visiting her brother Charles, has returned home.

The Junior team of the Red Stockings played with the Methuens Saturday afternoon which resulted in a tie.

Miss Goldsmith, a former assistant teacher in the J. H. S., has been the guest of Miss Ella Currier.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sidebottom and family have been recent guests at the home of F. W. Abbott on Maple Avenue.

Mrs. J. A. Naylor and her guest Mrs. Kimball of Manchester attended Mechanics fair in Boston, Friday.

Mrs. Winslow and son Edward of Lynn have been guests at the home of Mrs. William C. Holt.

The football team belonging to the Johnson High School played with the Shawshens of Andover, Saturday, defeating them 16 to 0.

John N. Meserve has been awarded the contract for the grading around the pumping station. There were five bids for the job.

A gang of Italians have been employed in the land belonging to Michael Carney, putting in a drain on the Lawrence Street side.

Expressman Joseph left town yesterday for a hunting trip to Mt. Katahdin, Me. During his ten days' absence his business will be managed by his son Harry.

Ex-Representative Capt. Newell of West Newbury accompanied the grangers of that town on their visit to the local grange Tuesday night.

The next meeting of the grange will be a social in charge of Peter Holt, Jr., W. H. Hayes, Miss Kate Fuller, Mrs. Mosher Meserve, Miss Cora Bassett.

Misses Annie and Amelia Duncan are visiting friends in Dedham and Cambridge. Before returning they will attend the fair in Mechanics building.

The supper committee appointed for the next social of the Charitable Union consists of the following: Mrs. Chickering, George C. Davis, Mrs. C. H. Farnham.

Two hundred feet of calked pipe will soon be lowered into the pond in front of the pumping station. Mr. Lawrence of Railroad Street is coining the ends of the barrels to make the float.

Leon H. Vincent closed his series of lectures Friday evening, "George Eliot" being the subject of his final discourse. It was with regret that the final sentence terminated the evenings of profitable instruction.

The Halloween party of the Burns Club will be held this evening. Musical and literary features, games, and dancing will be features of the evening. Tickets 25 and 50 cents. Taylor & Noble's orchestra has been secured.

A suggestion has been made and will probably be carried into effect, that the fund belonging to the extinct Helping Hand society be used to help improve the grounds around the horse sheds belonging to the Unitarian church.

At a recent meeting of the resident members of the Essex Agricultural Society at the Town Hall, Wednesday evening, called to order by W. H. Hayes, Peter Holt, Jr., was chosen chairman, and W. S. Hughes secretary. W. H. Hayes was chosen a trustee for one year. On motion of J. C. How the trustee was instructed to work for a revision of the premium list for stock. The meeting then dissolved.

For some time past C. H. Eggle Co., contractors for our water works have been troubled by a number of young boys who have been meddling with their property. Wednesday night a portable blacksmith shop was entered. The boys smashed a window shutter entering thereby. Chief Toohy was notified and very quickly located the boys. As foreman Kellogg did not wish to have the boys prosecuted they were allowed to go home very profuse in their promises to behave better in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. John Halliday of Blackpool, England, former residents of town, arrived on the Pannonia, Saturday, and are now guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Shaw of Osgood Street, Lawrence. Mr. Halliday is well known here and was the second resident of Union Village. He built the second house on the "heights" now opposite that of Peter Reeves on Marblehead Street. He left Lawrence 22 years ago, 19 of which he spent in Sidney, New South Wales, Australia.

Owing to the difficulty in securing a hall large enough to accommodate the Essex County Teachers Association, even in the large cities, and also on account of the expense incurred by the teachers in traveling from one end of the county to the other, it was proposed at the convention in Lynn, Friday, to divide the association into two divisions, one for Merrimack Valley and the other, Southern division. This is to be reported upon by the executive committee at the next meeting of the association. The program was an exceptionally good one, the officers having secured unusually interesting speakers. There was also an afternoon program for high school teachers.

Thomas Garner is seriously ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. Charles Kelley is visiting relatives in Newburyport.

Mrs. Kelley of Bradford is visiting her son on Cross Street.

New blackboards are to be placed in the high school room.

John H. Holmes of Needham was the guest of Harry Lynch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Willis were visiting friends in town Sunday.

Mr. Richards of East Rochester has been visiting E. W. Moody at Home Nest.

John Somerville and daughter Emma are visiting relatives in Winchester, and later will attend Mechanics fair, Boston.

Alfred Howes and family have removed to the Johnson tenement on High Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Moulton of Manchester, N. H. have been making a brief visit in town.

One of the new electric cars conveyed 58 grangers from West Newbury to this town Tuesday evening.

William Fernald and family are to occupy the tenement on Pleasant Street recently vacated by Alfred Howes.

Some of the members of the local grange will help furnish entertainment at Boxford grange, Neighbor's Night, Nov. 2.

H. Lyman Ames of Warner, N. H., is seriously ill. Mr. Ames is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Poor of North Andover.

"Sylvia's Soldiers" will be presented by members of the local grange at the meeting of the Tewksbury grange, next Friday evening.

A society of juvenile Templars will be organized soon. Several juveniles have already signed their intention of becoming members.

The meeting of the Neighborhood club appointed for last Wednesday is postponed until Nov. 9. It will be held at the home of Mrs. L. R. Starrett.

Col. Joseph A. Dalton who died in Salem, Wednesday, at the home of his sister at the advanced age of 82 years, was well known here. At the age of 20 he joined the Salem Cadets and at one time was in command of the recruiting camp at Lynnfield, which was afterward transferred to Boxford.

Superintendent Chickering has called the attention of the school teachers in town to Section 10, Chapter 496 of the Acts of 1898, and perhaps it would be well if the parents also were informed of this part of the section: A pupil who is not present during at least half of a session shall be marked and counted as absent for that session.

At the meeting of Rescue lodge, I. O. G. T., Tuesday evening the following were chosen officers: Fannie Hayes, c. t.; Ernest Sanford, v. t.; Walter Carney, sec. sec.; Matt Curry, assist. sec.; Geo. W. Kershaw, treas.; Thos. Mitchell, marshal; Arthur Engley, guard; Ben Hayes, sen.; Hannah Hayes, supt. of juvenile temple; J. M. Craig, p. c. t.

In a game of football Wednesday between the Johnson high school and the Methuen high school teams the former eleven was victorious by a score of 6-0. The players lined up as follows: Methuen, Gasken, l. e.; Gammon, l. t.; Hartshorn, l. g.; F. Snell, c.; Kemick, r. g.; Skinner, r. t.; Cabson, r. e.; Payson, q. b.; Skinner, l. h. b.; Hill, r. h. b.; E. Snell, l. b. Johnson high school, McCarthy, l. e.; Quasley, l. t.; Glennie, l. g.; Drew, c.; Hosmer, r. g.; A. Midwood, r. t.; Stone, r. e.; C. Johnson, q. b.; McDuffie, l. h. b.; M. Curley, r. h. b.; C. Midwood, l. b.

It was learned yesterday morning at the time of opening up the store of T. A. Holt & Co., that the place had once more been exposed to thievery at an earlier hour. The chill autumn winds had evidently inspired the act and the visitors selected from the stock which the store offered such garments as would afford protection from the cold weather. Several undershirts and stockings constituted the articles which are known to have disappeared. Entrance was effected in the usual way by removing the customary light of glass in the north window. Egress, it is thought, was made by the granary door, which was found unlocked. After selecting the articles they desired they retired to the granary and removed them from the store. No clue of importance was found by Chief of Police Toohy, who made the investigation this morning. The officer claims that a person living in the vicinity heard a crash between two and three o'clock yesterday morning, and looking out considered that something was wrong at the store. She fired a revolver and afterward saw two or three men emerge from the window and depart in a northerly direction. This however is at variance with the fact that investigation this morning makes it appear that their departure was made by means of the granary door.

From Benjamin Franklin.

"When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best, to be chosen in the second place; what reason (i. e., Theory) says is best to be chosen in the last place. But if you can get Dr. Inclinatum Dr. Experience and Dr. Reason to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be taken."

At the close of the programme a delightful collation was served. Andover Grange has invited the local organization to attend their meeting Tuesday evening and to furnish part of the entertainment.

Regarding numbers the North Andover Choral Society, originated by Richard A. Redman and Henry Knowles, is rapidly outgrowing its infancy and coming to be a child of quite a healthy growth. It has already attracted desirable talent from Andover and most all the local musicians have already sought or are seeking admission to the society which under the direction of Mr. Redman is likely to become a circle of musical merit if those interested seek musical culture for art's sake. The present membership is now over 40 and promises to increase rapidly. The concert to-night in the Town Hall, for the benefit of the North Andover Choral Society promises to be a very successful event, and those who attend are sure of an evening of good music. The

T. J. Murphy has purchased a house in Lawrence.

Fred Broadbent has purchased the H. F. Downing residence.

Orrin N. Foster attended Mechanics fair in Boston yesterday.

Lewis McInnes will attend Mechanics fair, Boston, to-morrow.

The perpetrators of the recent burglary have not yet been apprehended.

Wednesday evening at 11 o'clock the thermometer registered 64 above 0.

There will be a husking party at "uncle" Daniel G. Berry's, Monday night.

Miss Lillian Phillips visited Boston yesterday and attended Mechanics Fair.

Dr. Morrill attended the meeting of the Associated Health boards in Boston yesterday.

M. T. Stevens has purchased a new pair of dark bay steeds for the family carriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Berry of Wolfboro Falls, N. H., are expected as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rea.

The musical club will have an open meeting in the Congregational church vestry Monday evening, Nov. 7.

The secretary of the Charitable union has received a generous check from a lady in town of a charitable disposition.

Mrs. F. H. Drew, Mrs. Frank Eaton and John Duncan were the guests of Mrs. William Frost in Salem, N. H., Wednesday.

George Blanchard and family are to occupy the tenement recently occupied by William Fernald and family on Pleasant Street.

The annual meeting of the Charitable Union is called for Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Every member is requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Downing have left town for Miami, Florida, where they will spend the winter and eventually may settle there.

To-morrow is the last day of registration. Let prospective voters forget it. Hours, 12 o'clock till 10 o'clock P. M. Place selectmen's village office.

Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Banks held an apple bee at their home Tuesday evening and a large number of friends enjoyed a season of rare old-fashioned hospitality. A generous collation, singing and games were features of the occasion.

Neighbors of the South district enjoyed the features of an apple-bee at the home of Alonzo Smith last evening. Refreshments were served and there was a season of music and social chat which made the evening a pleasure to all.

The Redmen will observe the 12th anniversary of organization Monday and an unusually bright and attractive program has been prepared by John Duncan of this town. Two of the particularly talented young ladies, who will participate in the entertaining features, are Miss Eleanor Macy of Hudson, N. Y., the eloquent whose effort at the Duncan concert here is still such a pleasant memory to those who attended, and Miss Pauline Wolfram of Rock Island, Ill., the contralto soloist whose voice in song was none the less pleasing. The affair will be held in Redmen's Hall, Lawrence, and the local members will attend.

The social committee of the Congregational church scored a happy success Wednesday evening in conducting a harvest supper on the old fashioned plan. Many substitutes have been tried and although the latter may be a little trying to one's patience, yet after all the old-fashioned supper is altogether the most pleasing. Liberty characterized the appointment; it extended also to the serving and left nothing to be desired. The tables were arranged in all the vestries in a manner rather more convenient than usual. Supplementing the feast, a program, the features of which were appropriate and pleasing was given, N. P. Frye acting as the announcer. His message foretold a piano duet by Misses Marie Baldwin and Nellie Stillings; remarks by Rev. Henry Elbert Barnes, D. D.; vocal solo, Albert Currier; reading, "Lydia Pettigrove's Funeral," by Miss Roache; vocal duet, Arthur Bassett and Annie Sanborn; reading, "The Courtship," Miss Roache; song, quartet; Messrs Hamilton, Bassett, Paul and Currier. The committee in charge included D. W. Carney, N. P. Frye, Miss Cora Holt, Mr. Butterworth, assisted by Mrs. D. W. Carney, Mrs. Marston, Miss Addie Carney, Mrs. Butterworth, Anna Field, Chester Carney, Miss Helen E. Roache, Irving Carney, Miss Jennie Ward.

Some two hundred or more people attended and enjoyed the features of the entertainment planned and executed so happily by visitors from the West Newbury and Andover Granges, Tuesday evening. It was in every way a superior series of musical, literary and dramatic selections and each participant was warmly and enthusiastically received. The programme follows:

Piano solo, Thomas E. Rhodes of Andover Grange
Reading, Henry Hayward of Andover Grange
Reading, "I'm not a Single Man," Frank Hardy
Piano solo, Mr. Rhodes
Reading, "Old Times and New," Mr. Rhodes
Comedietta, "My Uncle's Will," Mr. Hayward
Members of West Newbury Grange
Cast of characters: Charles Cashmore, Mrs. Albert Smith; Mr. Barker, Leonard Bradley; Florence Marigold, Miss Lizzie Hill.
Vocal duet, "My Creole Sue," Miss Lizzie Hill and Albert Smith.

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following will take part: Mrs. Ruedtelt, soprano; Miss Lillian Cate, contralto; Signor Vincenzo Capazza, tenor; Miss Florence Goodwin, reader; Mr. Kenneth Blake, flutist; Miss A. A. Lawlor, Mr. M. T. Stevens, jr., pianist; X. L. Quartette; Messrs. C. Greenwood, 1st tenor; R. A. Redman, 2d tenor; W. H. Gascoigne, 1st bass; H. B. Shaw, 2d bass.

The programme presents an unusually bright and capable coterie of artists and a few of them have achieved something more than purely local acclaim. Signor Vincenzo Capazza, who is highly accomplished in Italian opera, has a most highly cultivated and powerful voice which alone should be sufficient to draw liberal patronage from music lovers in the vicinity. Miss Lillian Cate, a contralto of wide repute, will be most cheerfully received. Miss Florence Goodwin, a talented reader, and Kenneth Blake, the flutist, are also announced.

The programme:
Selection, "Comrades in Arms," X. L. QUARTETTE.
Flute solo, [a. Romance, Hongroise, [b. Fantasia Pastorale, C. Saint Sans, MR. BLAKE.
Solo, "In Night's Still Calm," G. Lather, MISS CATE.
Reading, Deacon's New Year, MISS GOODWIN.
Solo, "Queen of the Earth," Pinauti, SIGNOR CAPEZZA.
Piano, "Sabbath Evening Chimes," Papi, MISS CATE.
Solo, "Queen of the Night," Mrs. Torry, MISS RUDLETT.
Piano, [a. Prelude, Op. 28, No. 15, Chopin, [b. Berceuse, Ludwig Schitte, MR. STEVENS.
Solo, "O Mio Fernando," Cavatina from Donizetti's La Favorita, MISS CATE.
Reading, "Judgment Day," MISS GOODWIN.
Solo, "Catali," COST.
Solo, "Thou'lt Like unto a Flower," Rubenstein, MISS RUDLETT.
Piano, Sonata, MOZART.
Selection, "Good Night," Dudley Buck, K. L. HARRIS.
After perusing the above program the question to be answered is: can any of our people afford to miss the opportunity to listen to this selection of musical and literary influence. The hall should be crowded to the doors and talent cheerfully encouraged.

Preclinet Officers.

The Selectmen have appointed the following election officers:

Precinct 1, Warden, A. P. Chickering, D. deputy, Fred S. Smith, D. clerk, Geo. E. Hathorn, R. deputy, T. P. Wentworth, R.; inspectors, T. F. Willis, M. H. Poulter, R.; D. J. Keagan, J. W. Sullivan, D.; deputies, W. R. Robertson, J. A. Mahoney, D.; T. K. Gilman, J. B. Lewis, R.
Precinct 2, Warden, W. H. Hayes; deputy, M. B. Meserve, R.; clerk, Maurice Herbert, deputy, M. T. Stevens, Jr., D.; inspectors, Geo. A. Rea, M. S. Jenkins, R.; W. S. Hughes, T. H. Broderick, D.; deputies Timothy Eagan, A. D. Carleton, D.; F. Orris Rea, G. T. Young, R.

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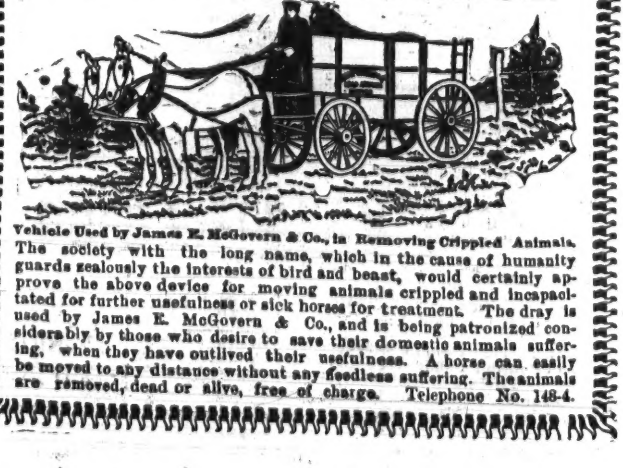
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